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Dear Interested Citizen:

Re: Public Workshop #1 - Folsom Lake State Recreation Area General Plan Update

The California Department of Parks and Recreation (State Parks), in partnership with the U.S. Department of the Interior Bureau of Reclamation (BOR), recently began the process of updating and revising the Folsom Lake State Recreation Area General Plan and Resource Management Plan. This two-year update process will result in the preparation of a plan that will serve as the primary management document for the park unit and will guide future conservation and development of public facilities.

An important step in the update process will be to gather public input. As a member of the community with an interest in the State Recreation Area, you are invited to participate in a public workshop being held by the planning team to identify issues that need to be addressed in the plan. The meeting will also include a brief presentation summarizing the inventory of existing conditions recently completed as part of the planning process.

The meeting will be held:

Wednesday, November 20, 2002

7:00 PM to 9:30 PM Folsom Middle School Auditorium 500 Blue Ravine Road, Folsom CA 95630

There will be many additional opportunities for public input throughout the planning process. For further information, please contact Jim Micheaels, State Parks Gold Fields District, at (916) 988-9116 ext. 202, or e-mail the consultant team at folsomlakeplanupdate@sf.wrtdesign.com. You can also visit the State Parks web site for the latest information on the General Plan Update at www.parks.ca.gov and clicking on "General Plans" under "Related Links."

I look forward to hearing your issues and ideas regarding the future of Folsom Lake State Recreation Area and to working with you on this important project over the next 18 months. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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